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## REPLY BY ROOSEVELT

President Writes to New York Labor Union Committee.

### MOYER AND HAYWOOD CASE

Chief Executive Quotes From a Letter He Wrote Over a Year Ago Saying That Exact Justice Should Be Done These Men.

New York, May 6.—In a letter read before the Central Federated union, President Roosevelt states that if evidence is submitted to him showing that there has been a miscarriage of justice for or against Moyer and Haywood, awaiting trial at Boise, Ida., charged with the murder of Former Governor Steunenberg, he will bring such evidence to the attention of the attorney general for such action, if any, as it may be in the power of the federal authorities to take.

The communication was the formal reply of the president to the committee of the union which recently called upon the president in Washington and requested him to set forth in general his attitude toward the accused men and specifically why he had referred to Moyer and Haywood as "undesirable citizens."

In making his report, the chairman, John Henry, said that the committee had spent more than an hour with the president, at which time the matter in hand was thoroughly discussed. The president signified his intention of formally replying in the letter which the chairman then read.

Following the reading there was an animated discussion during which the chairman and William Coakley, another member of the committee, stoutly championed the attitude of the chief executive. It was finally voted to send a copy of the letter to counsel for Moyer and Haywood.

#### Would See Exact Justice Done.

In his reply the president quotes at length from a letter written by him more than a year ago to the attorney general in which he says that "our duty is (if it should ever happen that we had any power in the matter), to see that exact justice is done these men."

The president's letter is addressed to Mr. John S. Henry of New York and is as follows:

"When you in company with Messrs. Coakley and Brown called upon me I read you the letter I had written to the attorney general on March 25, 1906. At your request I gladly sent you the following extract from that letter:

"Our duty is (if it should ever happen that we had any power in the matter) to see that exact justice is done these men. There must be no condonation of lawlessness on our

part even if the lawlessness takes the form of an effort to avenge the wrongs committed by the lawlessness of others. The sole question as regards Haywood and Moyer must be the question whether or not they can be shown to be guilty of this particular act and their legal rights must be as carefully safeguarded as those of any other men. It is alleged that they were extradited from Colorado in a manner that amounted to a betrayal of their legal rights. I should like to have the district attorney of Colorado and if necessary the district attorney of Idaho give me such information as they can on this point. I should like to get from the district attorney of Idaho any information that he can obtain as to whether or not there has been the slightest disposition shown by the authorities in Idaho to act toward these men in any unfair or improper manner or to deny them their legal rights.

#### Whether Guilty or Innocent.

"On the other hand I should like to know whether there is any symptom of a miscarriage of justice in their favor. The intemperate violence with which the Socialist or labor papers like that of Debs, and I am sorry to say some labor organizations, have insisted without any knowledge of the facts upon treating these men as martyrs to the cause of labor has unquestionably resulted in tremendous pressure being brought to bear upon the authorities of Idaho to discharge or acquit them whether guilty or innocent.

"So far as the unions are anxious only that exact justice is done these men—that they are given their full legal rights and not condemned unless proved guilty of this specific act, they are entitled to the cordial co-operation of all just and fair minded citizens. So far as by any action or by murderous and treasonable language such as that quoted above from Debs (and others) they tend to bring pressure to bear upon the state authorities and the courts to obstruct the course of justice and to render it difficult to convict the men if guilty, they are equally without stint to be condemned; and anything that the federal authorities can do in either event to further the cause of justice is to be done."

"In response to your question, I trust, needless for me to say that if at any time you or any one else can submit to me any evidence showing that there has been a miscarriage of justice for or against Messrs. Moyer and Haywood which you believe it is in my power to remedy, I will at once bring such evidence to the attention of the attorney general to have him give it the fullest consideration and to take thereon such action, if any, as it may be in the power of the federal authorities to take."

### CROP SHORTAGE FEARED.

Cold Weather Has Seriously Damaged Winter Wheat.

Chicago, May 6.—The past week on the Chicago Board of Trade has seen the arrival of the activity which prevailed there several years ago and it is predicted by the more optimistic traders that business will continue at a higher level for some time to come. The cold weather conditions that have prevailed so continuously throughout the West and Southwest have been the chief cause of the increased volume of trade. Never in the history of the weather bureau has such extended and such severe weather existed at this time of the year. The result has been a growing conviction on the part of many traders and commission men that the crop of winter wheat has been seriously damaged, and one excellent authority has made the prediction that the crop will be about 100,000,000 bushels below that of last year.

#### Franco-Japanese Convention.

Paris, May 6.—A Franco-Japanese convention for the preservation of the status quo in the far East is declared in several quarters to be under negotiation.

## TWO MEN DROWNED

Drove Into Mississippi River Near St. Paul.

### DRAW BRIDGE WAS OPEN

Had Been Swung Out to Allow a Steamboat to Pass Down Stream and the Two Men Drove Through the Open Gate to Their Death.

St. Paul, May 6.—Fred Hill and Darwin Truax of St. Paul Park, in attempting to drive across the Rock Island bridge near Inver Grove when it was open, were drowned in the Mississippi river. The bridge had started to swing to allow a steamboat to pass down stream. When the bridge tender heard the vehicle approaching he rushed to the open gate, but the two men did not heed him and in the darkness they rushed to their death.

The bodies have not been recovered. The water is deep and there is a rapid current at the point where the two men fell in and it is believed that the bodies were carried down stream a considerable distance.

The first intimation that the family of either man received of the accident was the arrival of the horse without carriage or harness at the Hill home. The horse had evidently swam to the shore, landing about half a mile below the bridge.

Mr. Hill was twenty-eight years of age and was a farmer living with his mother, Mrs. Abbie Hill, one mile northeast of St. Paul Park. Mr. Truax was a well digger, forty-five years old, well known in the country south of St. Paul. He was married and leaves five children.

Inver Grove, where the accident occurred, is a suburb of St. Paul.

### MAY BE DISRUPTED.

Pittsburg's Costly Orchestra Having Serious Trouble.

Pittsburg, May 6.—Pittsburg's \$40,000 a year orchestra is threatened with disruption that bids fair to indirectly affect all other large permanent orchestras of the country, chief among which are those located at Boston, New York and Chicago. Labor troubles and opposition to the methods adopted by Conductor Emil Paur are said to be the main cause of the present difficulties and so acute has the dissension become that the orchestra is without a manager and all offers of the position to succeed George H. Wilson, who has thus far been manager for ten years, have been declined. Luigi von Kunitz and Henry Bramsen, the cellist, have resigned or refused to sign contracts for another year and with the announcement that Mr. Paur will sail for Europe Tuesday, where he will engage other soloists, the members of the local musicians' union have declared that the whole matter will be laid before the International League of Musicians, which convenes for its annual meeting at Cleveland, O., on May 7, 8, 9 and 10, where a request for the protection of the contract labor law will be made.

It is asserted that charges of a character to call for the intervention of the United States authorities will there be made against Mr. Paur.

President W. L. Mayer, head of the musicians' organization, has stated that Mr. Paur has asked that he be allowed to bring several players to America, and this statement Mr. Paur confirmed, but would not discuss the situation farther.

### RIOT IN BUFFALO.

Italians Engage Police in a Vicious Battle.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 6.—The nearest thing to a race riot Buffalo has seen in years was precipitated when an Italian parade attempted to spread its ranks across Main street and stop street car traffic. A motorman insisted on running his car through the procession and immediately a riot began.

Reserves of police were rushed to the scene and wielded clubs with vigor. Policemen who were surrounded seized switch irons from trolley cars to use in their defense. After twenty minutes of vicious fighting during which less than a score of policemen fought hand to hand with more than 100 armed Italians, the Italians fled, leaving the worst wounded of their number with the police.

### WOUNDS HIS DIVORCED WIFE

Prominent Colored Clergyman Then Attempts Suicide.

Wichita, Kan., May 6.—Andrew Burbridge, a prominent negro clergyman, broke into the house of his divorced wife who had refused to return to him and shot her six times in the breast and abdomen, inflicting wounds that will cause her death. He fled and was found in the country three miles distant with a self-inflicted bullet wound in the side. He will recover.

## WAGES ARE HIGH ENOUGH

Decision of Secretary Taft Affects Canal Employees.

Washington, May 6.—A far-reaching decision of Secretary Taft affecting rates of pay, hours of labor, etc., on the Isthmus of Panama following his recent personal investigation of the various complaints received here from time to time was made public at the White House after President Roosevelt had given his approval to the secretary's recommendations. The decision applies to three classes of canal employees, first, steam shovel men, embracing engineers, crane men and firemen; second, construction locomotive engineers, and, third, construction train conductors.

Much attention is then given to the question of wages to the steam shovel men, who on March 1 last applied for increases.

Taking figures officially submitted, an average of wages paid by eighty firms through the United States would be \$102 for crane men and for engineers \$152.

Secretary Taft says:

"After giving the matter the consideration which its importance deserves and after weighing the comparative advantages which the Isthmian shovelmen enjoy over their brothers in the States with the disadvantages which they have to bear in going to and living on the Isthmus, I have reached the conclusion that the existing standard of pay for the shovel engineers and apriori for the crane men is a liberal one, and ought not to be increased except under some provision of reasonable increase applicable to all veteran skilled employees of the commission who are paid by class rates. As already seen, the rates paid to the Isthmian shovel engineers are certainly from 25 to 35 per cent higher than the average of those paid in the States, and this by no means states all the difference in favor of the Isthmian terms of employment."

Among the other advantages the steam shovel man on the Isthmus has, as pointed out by the secretary, are an eight-hour day, six weeks leave of absence on full pay, twenty days sick leave with full pay, free houses or quarters and free medical attendance and hospital service.

### OPENING OF NAVIGATION.

Later Than Usual This Year on the Great Lakes.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 6.—The opening of the navigation of the Great Lakes restores one of the greatest channels of natural traffic in the United States, if not in the entire world, extending from the Atlantic seaboard to the remotest points of the Northwest by way of the Erie canal from New York to Buffalo, through the chain of Great Lakes from Buffalo to Superior, Duluth and many intermediate points and thence westward over innumerable railway routes. Thus each year from the breaking of the ice in the spring to the freezing days of November this link in a vast system of exchange—farthest East to the farthest West and then back again with Western grain and other products—is re-established with Cleveland, Detroit, Chicago, Milwaukee and innumerable other points contributing as "feeders."

The opening of navigation this year has been later than usual. The first two vessels to attempt the heavy ice floes on Lake Erie were caught in the ice jams and were unable to proceed up the lake or return to port. It was well on toward the middle of April before the fleet got into clear water. The ice is still coming down the lake in huge floes, but there is sufficient clear water to permit vessels to make the trip up the lake without serious delay.

The grain fleets are already on their way from Duluth and Superior to the East, while the great ore carriers of the United States Steel corporation have started for the upper lakes.

### GIRL ATTEMPTS SUICIDE.

Shoots Herself While Seated Beside Her Lover.

Lima, O., May 6.—Seated on a couch beside her lover, Harry—Murphy of this city, Miss Hattie Garree of 653 Harrison avenue, Columbus, O., shot herself fatally.

Peculiar circumstances surround the shooting which caused the police to arrest Murphy, who admitted that it was with his revolver the girl committed the rash act during a misunderstanding between them. It developed later, however, that a third person, a girl friend of Murphy's, was also in the room, but she has not been apprehended.

Miss Garree is seventeen years old, quite pretty and has been here a short time. She is dying at the city hospital. Murphy claimed the girl borrowed his revolver just to look at it when in a flash she turned it toward her heart and sent a bullet into her bosom.

#### Warehouses Badly Damaged.

Chicago, May 6.—The eight-story brick building known as "warehouses B and C" of the Schwarzschild & Sulzberger company; packers, at Forty-first and Paulina streets, has been partially destroyed by fire. The loss is said to be \$100,000.

## Were you disappointed?

Many were, last year, when they came to secure their long silk gloves and many more will be this year unless they purchase now.

## New ones received

We received a shipment this morning which now gives us a complete line of sizes. These are splendid qualities and we would advise that you supply yourself at once.

## At but \$1.25 the pair

You paid \$1.75 and \$2.00 for no better qualities last year. We purchased these so that we can retail them at \$1.25 the pair. You will like them.

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Weather  
Forecast—Fair tonight and Tuesday cooler tonight with killing frost.

## LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

Long silk gloves, \$1.25—"MICHAEL'S"  
Jas. Long came down from Cross lake today.

Geo. W. Mosher, of Motley, was in the city Sunday.

J. S. Taylor, of Fargo, was in the city over Sunday.

S. G. Stewart went to Haupt, Minn., today on business.

L. F. Nelson, of Walker, was in the city today on business.

Archie Purdy went to Minneapolis this morning on business.

Card tables and folding chairs for rent at D. M. Clark & Co. 185tf

John Hessel, Jr., went to St. Cloud this morning on business.

Thos. Kelly, of Dubuque, Iowa, was in the city today on business.

Mrs. W. H. Bondy went to the cities today for a few days' visit.

Store your stoves and household goods with D. M. Clark & Co. 255tf

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spalding returned today from a trip to the twin cities.

Miss Ella Prushey, who is teaching at Fort Ripley, spent Sunday at home.

Miss Stella Berg, of Fort Ripley, spent Sunday with friends in this city.

Money to loan on improved farms. J. M. Hayes, agent, 910 Front street. 263tf

J. H. Koop went to Minneapolis this morning after spending Sunday in the city.

L. P. Jones, of the Aitkin State bank, was in the city today on his way to St. Paul.

Dr. K. H. Hoorn returned today noon from a business visit to Mason City, Iowa.

A. J. Riddle, of Walker, was in the city Saturday on his way to the twin cities.

Ed. Brehaney fell on a walk in Staples yesterday and dislocated one of his elbows.

Fred Thomas went to Pine River today on business for the Mahlum Lumber Co.

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Hon. C. A. Lindbergh, of Little Falls, was in the city Saturday evening on business.

Wm. Mattson, a well known lumber man, was in the city today on his way to Little Falls.

KIRK'S JAPANESE soap is twice the size and less than half the cost of any brand of really good transparent soap. Druggists and grocers.

C. N. Parker returned Saturday from his trip to Hot Springs, Ark., and Mt. Clemens, Mich.

Mail Agent Schenck came down from Deerwood today to attend the Sunday school association.

Misses Nora Carr and Margaret Stevenson, of Staples, visited R. H. Carr over Sunday.

Mrs. A. R. Holman came down from Pequot today to attend the Sunday school association.

E. K. Woodin and family will spend the summer at a cottage which he will erect on lake Emily.

W. B. Jones went to Walker to attend the meeting of the Cass county commissioners tomorrow.

Mrs. L. A. Canfield, of Loerch, came in today noon to attend the county Sunday school association.

Bowel trouble may easily turn into appendicitis. Dr. Adler's Treatment will put you on the road to health.

Orne cleans and repairs all kinds of sewing machines. Singer store, 722 Laurel street. 278tf

Miss Sorenson, of Merrifield, was in the city today on her way home after a successful winter school taught at Ilas.

Elmer Drexler has resigned his position of night bell hop at the Ransford and has been succeeded by Geo. Witford.

Albert Rasmussen returned from Superior this noon, where he has been visiting with his parents and friends since Friday.

Miss Minnie Coenen left this morning for Cambridge, Minn., to assume a position with a leading firm there as a stenographer.

A. Dunleary, of Little Falls, was in the city today. It is rumored that he is here to make the acquaintance of the boiler makers' goat.

Fred Sanborn has accepted a position in the Citizens' State bank, commencing work this morning. There is no doubt that he will make good.

Rev. P. G. Nelson returned today from Deerwood, where he has been holding very successful meetings. He reports a number of conversions.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nolan are the happy parents of twins, a boy and a girl, which were born to them Saturday. Mother and children are doing well.

J. C. Smallwood came down from Minot, N. D., Saturday for a brief visit with friends in this city. He says the spring is just as backward there as here.

The ladies of the A. O. H. will serve a ten cent coffee at the residence of J. M. Glunt, 801 Holly street, Wednesday afternoon, May 8th, at 3 o'clock. All are welcome.

I have some five acre farms with houses thereon within 15 minutes walk of the N. P. shops for sale. G. W. Holland.

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## JAY BATCHELDER TO GO TO NOME

Brainerd Man Has Accepted a Position in a Bank in Alaskan Metropolis

LEAVES SEATTLE JUNE FIRST

Bank is One in Which O. C. Foster, Formerly of Brainerd, Is Interested

The Citizen's State Bank will lose another of its old office force in a few weeks, Jay Batchelder having accepted a position in one of the banks of Nome, Alaska. Mr. O. C. Foster, well known here, who spent a portion of the winter in this city, is heavily interested in the bank and he wired Mr. Batchelder from Seattle offering him a fine position in the bank at Nome, if he would go by the first boat, which is scheduled to leave Seattle the first of June. Mr. Batchelder wired his acceptance and expects to leave here in time to catch that boat. His family will remain here for the present, but will ultimately join him if he likes it in Alaska. Mr. Batchelder has many friends in Brainerd who rejoice in his advancement, but hate to see him leave.

No successor has been selected by the bank as yet.

## ROYAL ARCANUM MEETING.

All members of the Royal Arcanum are requested to attend the regular meeting tomorrow evening, May 7th.

Quality—yes, high quality—there is nothing better at any price in a pure wholesome baking powder than Hunt's Perfect.

J. C. Davis, Mrs. J. P. Saunders and Miss Saunders returned today from an over Sunday visit with Mr. Saunders on Gull lake. Mr. Saunders came down from there with them today and reports good success in gathering pike spawn.

The Sunday institute held at the Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon and evening was well attended and much interest manifest. The papers and addresses were very helpful to those interested in Sunday school work.

Rev. J. F. McLeod went to Bemidji today to attend a meeting of the executive committee of the Bemidji Bible conference. This conference includes the presbyteries of Adams, Duluth, Red River and St. Cloud and will hold its third annual conference from the 23rd to 28th of July at Bemidji.

J. F. Dykeman came in last night from a trip of over two months in the south part of the state in the interests of the Modern Brotherhood of America. He reports weather conditions just as unfavorable there as here. Work for the order he says is in a flourishing condition.

Mrs. W. E. Barker, of Mankato, who has been visiting Mrs. Jay Henry Long, in this city for several days, returned to Mankato today. Mr. Barker who is working as clerk at the McKinley cedar yard was, summoned to Fergus Falls today to serve on the United States grand jury.

A youngster living on the South side was fined \$10 Saturday for firing of fire arms within the city limits. There was apparently no viciousness in the act, simply carelessness, but the minimum fine under the ordinance was \$10 and that amount had to be imposed as the boy pled guilty.

Theodore Hamlin arrived from Jamestown, N. D., last night and will go on duty tonight as night dispatcher on the Minnesota & International. Mr. Orth will have the day trick, while Mr. Warner, chief dispatcher, will do no wire work, his time being fully taken up with the other duties of his position.

The open meeting of the Ladies Musical club will take place Wednesday evening, May 8, at 8 o'clock, at Elks' hall. Each member has the privilege of inviting two guests. Those wishing to invite more than two may do so on payment of 50 cents each. Membership tickets are transferrable.

Chas. Kinkade, the genial Walker hotel man was in the city today on his way to Minneapolis. He says that he is not intentionally running a matrimonial agency, but that seems to be the result of importing domestics. He no sooner gets a bunch up from the twin cities than they get married and he has to go down after another supply of help.

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## BRAINERD TWENTY YEARS AGO

Dispatch Files of Twenty Years Ago this Week.

Surveying crews were in Brainerd surveying a route from Brainerd to Millaca. A crew was also said to be working this way from Millaca.

Fergus Falls had an ordinance taxing the expense of sprinkling to the abutting property.

R. B. Coffin, of Deerwood, was in the city Tuesday.

Gregory Park will be fenced and a fountain erected in the center of it.

J. K. Pierce and wife have a new girl baby at their house and are much elated over the arrival.

W. S. McClenahan is enjoying himself in St. Paul and Minneapolis for a few days.

A. Snyder, the boot and shoe man has rented the room in the rear of the bank building and will move his stock into it.

Peter Ort will have a force of men at work at Woodland in a day or two and when it is sufficiently fixed up will open it to the public.

Mr. James Connors, of Anoka, and Miss Kate Toohey, of East Brainerd, were united in marriage last Sunday by Rev. Father Watry.

J. J. Howe, of this city, and C. F. McDonald and M. J. Nugent, of St. Cloud, have purchased the Rosenberger addition in the latter place, for which they paid \$6,800.

Leon Wood, a lad of fifteen year was sent to the reform school Tuesday. The charge against him was for obtaining goods at Hagberg's grocery on false pretenses.

N. McFadden and W. A. Smith are building an elegant double barn on their property on North Sixth street. It will be one of the finest buildings of the kind in the city.

S. F. Alderman and Mrs. J. B. Douglas expect their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Alderman, of East Granby, Conn., tomorrow. They will spend the summer in Brainerd.

The Duluth Journal says material is being hauled for G. G. Hartley's \$35,000 residence on Chester creek.

Dr. Camp's mother and sister arrived in the city from Dixon, Ill., yesterday. The newcomers are domiciled in the Thompson residence near the park, where they will reside in the future.

The co-operative farming community established last spring at Bay lake, Crow Wing county, has attracted considerable attention especially among students of social science and all those interested in the solution of the labor problems of the day, says the Minneapolis Tribune. \* \* \* A tract of 250 acres on Bay lake is partly under cultivation, and the settlers have put an abandoned saw mill into use to assist them in solving the lumber problem. They have plenty of forest for logs and cranberries, blueberries, strawberries and raspberries growing wild in abundance. Sufficient vegetables for last fall and winter's use were raised last summer, and this summer more land will be under cultivation. All are still well pleased with the co-operative principle.

Early Wednesday morning the head cook discovered that the Villard hotel was on fire and gave the alarm. \* \* In a very short time the fire department was on the scene. At this time it was expected that the main part of the structure would be saved but the fire had made more headway than was supposed and it was soon communicated to the upper floor by a draft created between the partition and the unfinished room in the upper part of the building. \* \* \* Scarcely any of the furniture in the building was saved; the entire dining room and kitchen outfit was consumed with all the silverware, linen, etc. The office furniture was removed and three of the billiard tables, together with most of the liquor. In less than an hour and a half the structure was level with the ground, and a cleaner sweep was never made. The building was owned by C. F. Kindred. The loss was \$40,000 to \$50,000 with insurance of \$20,200. The furniture was owned by W. W. Hartley and was insured for \$3,000 which will not cover half the loss.

Geo. Holland was away from town and consequently lost everything in his room.

Engineer Leak and wife lost everything they had as nothing was saved from their room.

The East Brainerd fire department and the fire apparatus from the shops were both on hand and did good service.

The May Blossom troupe are losers to the extent of probably \$1,200, several of their trunks containing costumes being destroyed.

The firemen were all gone on the fire costumes of the May Blossom troupe.

F. B. Thompson was the last man out of the burning building. He had a narrow escape and burned his feet quite badly.

The Western Union telegraph office was completely wiped out though Man-

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## HOSTS OF GOOD PEOPLE All Over This Blessed Land Rise Up and Praise Dr. Pierce's Family Medicines.

Common Gratitude Prompts This Sentiment in Favor of Dr. Pierce's Medicines.

These people, so ready and anxious to recommend Dr. Pierce's Medicines, have themselves been cured, or some friend or loved one has been cured, by these medicines. Naturally, a sense of gratitude prompts such persons to recommend Dr. Pierce's medicines to other afflicted ones. Notwithstanding that these medicines have been on general sale, in drug and medicine stores, for more than two decades, yet their sale continues to grow as it could not were they not medicines of more than ordinary merit.

Although base attacks have sometimes been made upon Dr. Pierce's medicines which temporarily injured their sale, as in the case of the maliciously, false, scandalous and libelous article published in 1904 in the Ladies' Home Journal of Philadelphia, yet their sale is greater to-day than ever. The publishers of that paper were brought to account and judgment obtained against them in consequence of their malicious article concerning Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. The falsity of its statements were proven in open court and judgment was obtained against its publishers for a substantial amount.

Thereupon Dr. Pierce decided to take a bold step and publish to the whole world a full list of the ingredients entering into his medicines, and this completely confounded his malicious traducers and vindicated both the Doctor and his medicines. In consequence, his medicines have enjoyed a popularity and increase in sale of late, amounting almost to a boom, and it is believed that this greatly increased demand is due largely to the fact of Dr. Pierce's open, honest way of treating his patrons and patients by reposing confidence in those who trust in him and his medicines. He has no secrets to withhold from them. He publishes the composition of his medicines openly and above board, so that all who use them may know exactly what they are taking. Thus they are placed in a class all by themselves and cannot be considered as either secret or patent medicines, for they are in fact neither.

WHAT THEY CURE. People often ask "What do Dr. Pierce's two leading medicines—'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Favorite Prescription' cure?"

Briefly, the answer is that "Golden Medical Discovery" is a most potent alterative, or blood purifier, and tonic, invigorator, and acts especially favorably in a curative way upon all the mucous lining surfaces, as of the nasal passages, throat, bronchial tubes, stomach, bowels and bladder curing a large percentage of catarrhal cases, whether the disease be of the nasal passages, the throat, larynx, bronchia, stomach (as catarrhal dyspepsia), bowels (as mucous diarrhea), bladder, uterus or other pelvic organs. Even in the chronic or ulcerative stages of these affections, it is generally successful in affecting cures. In fact the "Golden Medical Discovery" is without doubt, the most successful constitutional remedy for all forms of catarrhal diseases known to modern medical science. In chronic Nasal Catarrh Dr. Sages Catarrh Remedy should be used for washing and cleansing out the nasal passages while taking the "Discovery" for its blood cleansing and specific, healing effects upon the mucous lining membranes. This combined local and general treatment will cure a very large percentage of the worst cases of chronic nasal catarrh, no matter how many years' standing they may be. As to the Favorite Prescription, it is advised for the cure of one class of diseases only—those weaknesses, derangements and irregularities peculiar to women. It is a powerful, yet gently acting, invigorating tonic and nerve. For weak, worn-out, over-worked women—no matter what has caused the breakdown—this is the only medicine that will regulate the womanly functions, and, doing pain and bringing about a healthy, strong, vigorous condition of the whole system.

Dr. Pierce believes that our American forests abound in most valuable medicinal roots for the cure of most of our obstinate and most fatal diseases; if we would properly investigate them; and, in confirmation of this firm conviction, he points with pride to the almost marvelous cures effected by his "Golden Medical Discovery" which draws its power itself to be the most efficient stomach tonic, liver invigorator, heart tonic and regulator, and blood cleanser known to medical science. Not less marvelous, in the unparalleled cures it is constantly making of woman's many peculiar affec-

tions, weaknesses and distressing derangements, is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, as is amply attested by thousands of unsolicited testimonials contributed by grateful patients who have been cured by it of leucorrhea, painful periods, irregularities, proflapsus and other displacements, ulceration of uterus and kindred affections, often after many other advertised medicines had failed.

Both these world-famed medicines are wholly made up from the glyceric extracts of native medicinal roots, found in our American forests. The processes employed in their manufacture were original with Dr. Pierce, and they are carried on by skilled chemists and pharmacists with the aid of apparatus and appliances specially designed and built for this purpose. Both medicines are entirely free from alcohol and all other harmful, habit-forming drugs. A full list of their ingredients is printed on each of their wrappers. They are both made of such native medicinal roots as have received the strongest endorsement and praise for their curative virtues from the most prominent writers on  *Materia Medica* in this country. What is said of their power to cure the several diseases for which they are advised may be easily learned by sending your name and address to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for a little booklet which he has compiled from the most reliable sources from numerous standard medical books, which are consulted as authorities by physicians of the several schools of practice for their guidance in prescribing. It is FREE TO ALL. A postal card request will bring it.

You don't have to rely solely upon the manufacturer's say-so as to the power of Dr. Pierce's medicines to cure, as with other medicines sold through druggists. You have the *disinterested* testimony of a host of the leading medical writers and teachers. Send for this copious testimony. It can be relied upon to be truthful because it is *entirely disinterested*.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. Constipation is the cause of many diseases. Cure the cause and you cure the disease. One "Pellet" is a gentle laxative, and two a mild cathartic. Druggists sell them, and nothing is "just as good." They are the *original* Little Liver Pills first put up by old Dr. Pierce over 40 years ago. Much imitated, but never equaled. They are tiny sugar-coated granules—easy to take as candy.

ager Cring succeeded in getting out his reports and one or two instruments. He is now temporarily located in the railroad offices.

Artists have no trouble in securing models. The famous beauties have discarded corsets and have become models in face and form since taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, tea or tablets. H. P. Dunn & Co.

**Mrs. W. H. Johnston,**  
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**GOLD DUST FLOUR**  
Coupons  
MAY 3rd DRAWING

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**SUICIDE SOLVES MYSTERY**  
Motorman Believed to Have Killed Boston Woman.  
Boston, May 6.—Through the suicide of Albert L. Smith, a Somerville motorman, just after he was placed under arrest, the local police believe that they have the solution of the mystery of the murder Saturday of Mrs. George Smith, the wife of the young man's uncle, at a lodginghouse at 61 Hancock street, just across the street from the state house. The police believe the tragedy was caused by Mrs. Smith's resistance to the young man's attentions, which during the past few weeks are said to have been so persistent as to have caused a separation between her and her husband.

**TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.**  
Felix Regamey, the painter, is dead at Nice, France. He was born in 1844.

Benjamin Mead, a Great Northern conductor, committed suicide at St. Paul while despondent over illness from a cancer.

The university faculty has ordered the Yale crew to return to New Haven without rowing the annual race with the Annapolis midshipmen.

General Joseph K. Hudson is dead at Topeka, Kan., of heart failure. He served in the Kansas legislature in 1871 and was publisher of the Topeka Capital.

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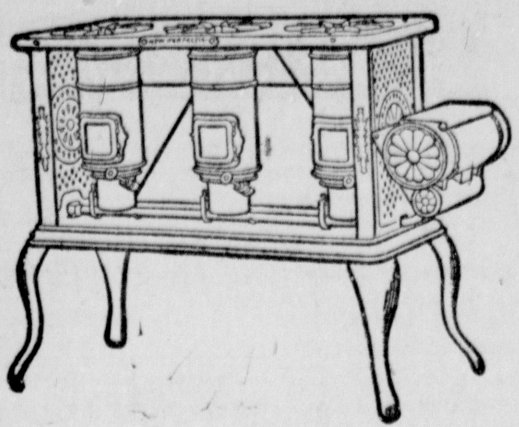
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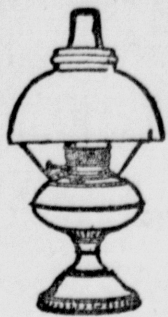


Entirely different from all others. Embodies new ideas, new principles. Easily managed. Reduces fuel expense. Ready for business at moment of lighting. For your summer cooking get a

## NEW PERFECTION Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove

Its heat is highly concentrated. Does not overheat the kitchen. Oil always at a maintained level. Three sizes. Fully warranted. It not at your dealer's, write our nearest agency for descriptive circular.

THE **Rayo Lamp** is the best lamp for all-round household use. Made of brass throughout and beautifully nickel-plated. Perfectly constructed; absolutely safe; unexcelled in light-giving power; an ornament to any room. Every lamp warranted. If not at your dealer's, write to our nearest agency.



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ILLUSTRATED SONG  
"Tell Me Sweetheart"

"THE WONDERFUL BEE HIVE"  
Admission 10c. Children 5c  
Children tickets sold only with parents Saturday nights.

### ANNUAL MEETING

Stockholders of the Park Opera House Association Elected Directors This Forenoon

The stockholders of the Park Opera House association met for annual meeting today and elected the following directors: R. R. Wise, Geo. W. Holland, H. P. Dunn, R. J. Hartley, G. D. LaBar.

The directors immediately after their election met and elected the following officers:

Pres.—R. R. Wise.  
V. P.—G. W. Holland.  
Sec.—G. D. LaBar.  
Treas.—H. P. Dunn.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used, except on prescription from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists. Price 50c per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## OLD RESIDENT DIED SUDDENLY

Mrs. May Clark Expired at the Home of Her Daughter, Mrs. Edward Crust

### EARLY YESTERDAY MORNING

Death Thought to Have Been Caused by Neuralgia of the Heart—Had Been Well

Mrs. May Clark, a well known resident of East Brainerd for nearly a quarter of a century, died suddenly Sunday morning, May 5, 1907. Mrs. Clark had been feeling better than usual for several days and Saturday was unusually happy and bright. The choir of the Peoples' church met at the Crust residence to practice Saturday evening and Mrs. Clark was up until 11.30 apparently perfectly well and enjoyed meeting and visiting the members of the choir very much. About four in the morning she called Mrs. Crust, saying that she was in pain. The family was aroused and a doctor sent for, but before he arrived she passed away. She had been speaking to Mrs. Crust but a moment or two before and there was no thought of her being in a dangerous condition. Death is thought to have been caused from neuralgia of the heart.

May Clark was born in Neilston, Scotland, February 4, 1826, and was 81 years and three months old at the time of her death. She was married in Barr Head, Scotland, to James Clark, who died in Brainerd June 28, 1901. To them three children were born, W. R. Clark, familiarly known to a host of friends on the Northern Pacific as "Scotty" Clark, now residing near Seattle on a ranch, James Clark, who was killed in a railroad accident at Whatcom, Wash., about four years ago, and Mrs. Edward Crust of this city. Mrs. Clark came to Brainerd direct from Scotland in 1883 to join her husband, who came the year previous, and has made her home in Brainerd ever since. She was a member of the People's Congregational church of East Brainerd and was a woman who was loved as well as respected by all who knew her. The bereaved relatives have the sympathy of a large number of friends.

No arrangements for the funeral had been made up to noon today as they were waiting to hear from W. R. Clarke. His whereabouts are unknown here. When last heard from he was at his ranch, some distance back from Seattle, but was contemplating going to the Canadian Pacific to handle a steam shovel this summer.

### Notice to our Customers

We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug law as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwdw

### DEATH OF MISS MEANS

Sister of Mrs. Nancy Craig, of this City, Died in Curtisville, Penn., April Sixteenth

A copy of the Clarion (Penn.) Republican has been received bringing the news of the death of Miss Priscilla Means, a sister of Mrs. Nancy Craig, of this city, and an aunt of D. R. Craig, the well known telegraph operator. Miss Means has visited in Brainerd and had a number of friends here. The Republican says:

"Miss Priscilla Means, of Curtisville, departed this life Tuesday, April 16, after a short but severe illness at the age of 78 years. Two sisters, Miss Emily at home, and Mrs. Nancy J. Craig, of Brainerd, Minnesota, survive her.

"The deceased was born and raised near where she died and was well and favorably known in the community where she lived so many years. She was a bright, intelligent and helpful lady. Her modesty and kindly disposition and her gentle and ladylike ways endeared her to all and made her many friends.

"She and a sister and a nephew, Harry C. Craig composed the family and a homelike home it was. Around about it was the charm of refinement, hospitality and good will. Through all of her last illness she was patient and resigned and was most appreciative of any kindness shown her.

"Her funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. M. Evans, pastor of the Reformed church Thursday p. m. Her remains repose in the family burying ground by the side of kindred dust. A large circle of friends deeply sympathize with the sorrowing ones."

Mrs. S. Joyce, 180 Sullivan St., Claremont, N. H., writes: "About a year ago I bought two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure. It cured me of a severe case of Kidney trouble of several years' standing. It certainly is a grand, good medicine, and I heartily recommend it." H. P. Dunn & Co. mwdw

D. M. Clark & Co. largest installment house in the city. Goods sold on easy terms. 235tf

## MANY OFFICIALS HERE

Assistant General Manager Kline of Northern Pacific Joined President Elliott Here Sunday

Brainerd seems to have been the mecca of all good Northern Pacific railroad men the past few days. First came President Elliott and party, including Mechanical Superintendent Wm. Moir, who returned to St. Paul from Brainerd Saturday noon. Assistant General Manager Kline came in from Staples on No. 14 Sunday morning and joined President Elliott and party here on their return from their trip over the Minnesota & International. The entire party, in a special train consisting of a combination baggage and the Private cars of President Elliott and Mr. Kline went to St. Paul Sunday afternoon under the charge of Conductor Jernegan, with Emory Scott at the throttle.

Supt. E. C. Blanchard came down from Duluth this noon, going through to Staples and returning on No. 12. He will remain here until tomorrow morning when he will go to Duluth on No. 14.

Kidney complaint kills more people than any other disease. This is due to the disease being so insidious that it gets a good hold on the system before it is recognized. Foley's Kidney Cure will prevent the development of fatal disease if taken in time. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwdw

### CAT NURSUS RABBITS

Staples Feline Becomes Foster Mother To Brood of Orphaned Bunnies

#### —Happy Family

Staples World:—One day last week a man plowing near the home of L. J. Flora in Jenkins addition unearthed a rabbit nest that contained five little balls of animated fur that turned out to be rabbits that were only a few days old. Little Earl Flora took possession of the rabbits and as soon as he brought them home the family cat seemed to take kindly to the little strangers and she was allowed to look after them. She now manifests as much affection for her adopted children as though they were her own tabbies, and the little bunnies nurse at their foster mother's breast and seem as contented as though in their own burrow with their own kith and kin. Earl's "happy family" has attracted considerable attention from those who know about it.

Of all the fruits there are in the land, That grow on bush or tree, I would give up the choicest ones For Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. H. P. Dunn & Co.

### LIQUOR CO. MUST PAY

The Minnesota Supreme Court Affirms Verdict in Favor of Mrs. Merrill For Damages

The supreme court of the state of Minnesota on Friday last handed down a decision in the case of Mrs. Ellen Merrill, executrix of the estate of Truman D. Merrill vs. the John Coates Liquor Co. The death of Mr. Merrill, because, it was alleged, of mistreatment at the hands of Leon Rafidial, bartender for the liquor company, Rafidial's arrest and acquittal on the charge of murder and the bringing of suit for damages against the liquor company by Mrs. Merrill are well known. Mrs. Merrill recovered judgment for \$2,000 and some odd cents and the case was appealed on the ground that the work of "bouncing" undesirable parties from a saloon was not a part of the bartenders duties, and the firm was not responsible for his acts in that capacity. There were also several other points on which the defendant asked a reversal of the case and a new trial. The supreme court, however, explicitly declared that the employer was responsible under the circumstances and affirmed the verdict.

A good cook plus

**Occident Flour**

equals the best white bread.

### AGED TEEN A SUICIDE.

First Attempt Frustrated, But Second Was Successful.

Kansas City, May 6.—W. R. Haymaker, aged sixty-five years, formerly an alderman in Fort Worth, Tex., committed suicide in the Monarch hotel in this city because of despondency induced by ill-health and the anticipation of being placed on trial in St. Louis next month on the charge of shooting a man there. Haymaker first attempted suicide by asphyxiation, but was found and revived. A second attempt a few hours later was successful when Haymaker shot himself. He came to this city Friday to visit his son.



## Corsets of Quality

It is with a good deal of pleasure that we announce the advent of a complete line of the famous

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Twenty-four different models—a perfect fit for every figure. Corsets priced at \$2.00 and above are fitted free of charge.

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I have placed TEN BICYCLES that will be sold for HALF THEIR REAL VALUE in order to get the cash. Call and inspect and order one until pay day.

**E. J. ROHNE**

719 Laurel St.

## Up-to-Date Hardware Store News

If You must Buy a Refrigerator

Don't put off selecting one. Our stock is complete—our line is right for the prices we have put on them and it will take time to re-order if we should not have just what you want later. Do it now.

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**Slipp-Gruenhagen Co**

217-219 South 7th Street.



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things in the purchase of whiskies brandies, liquors and wines, insist on absolute purity. Imitations of long proven brands, deleterious adulterants, are worse than nothing. To keep within the bounds of safety, make your purchases of wines and liquors, as beverages or for family or medicinal purposes, from a dealer you can trust. We guarantee our goods.

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Imperial Block,

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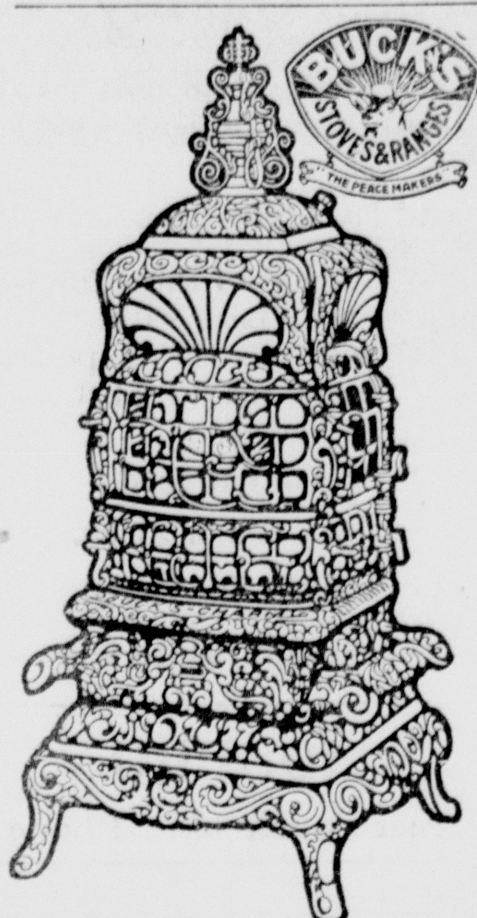
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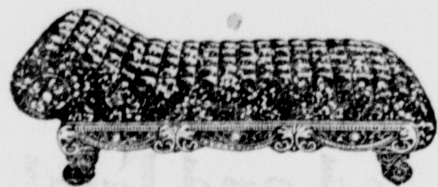
We have a few goods of the better class that are not going fast enough to suit us, so, as we are bound to close out everything in our store, we now offer you the articles, samples of which are illustrated on this page, on the **Easy Payment Plan**. From customers living outside the city we will accept secured notes without extra expense or interest. Now is the chance of your lifetime to get that extra piece of furniture or that new stove or bicycle you have wanted so long, at **HALF PRICE** and pay for it as is convenient to you.

Cabinet Organ, high case, full black walnut, 11 stops, worth \$75, sale price... **\$30.49** Wardrobe Folding Bed \$30.00 value for..... **\$19.87** One worth \$4.47 \$10.00 for... **\$4.47** Buffet, worth \$28.00 for... **\$19.87** Roll top desk \$30.00 value for... **\$20.37**



**Heating Stoves**

\$60.00 self feed for..... **\$33.88**  
\$35.00 self feed for..... **\$21.68**  
\$20.00 oak stove for..... **\$13.39**  
\$14.00 air tight for..... **\$8.68**  
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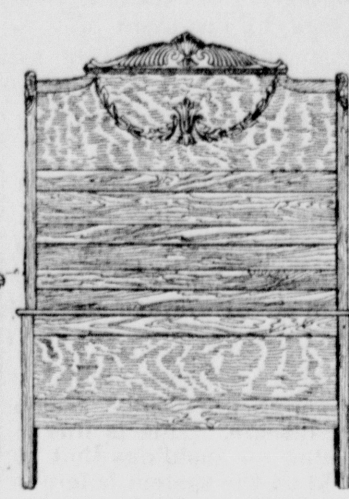
**Couches**

Genuine leather, \$33.00 **\$23.17**  
Pantolite leather, \$17.00 **\$11.37**  
Velour covered, \$14.00 **\$9.17**  
Ingrain covered, \$8.00 **\$4.47**



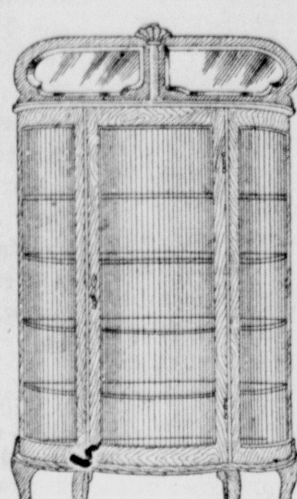
**Chamber Sets**

3 piece chamber sets, worth \$35.00, sale price... **\$23.81**  
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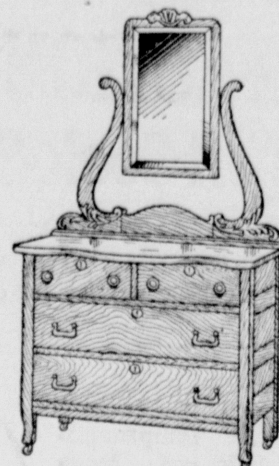
**China Closet**

Worth \$25.00, sale price... **\$19.77**



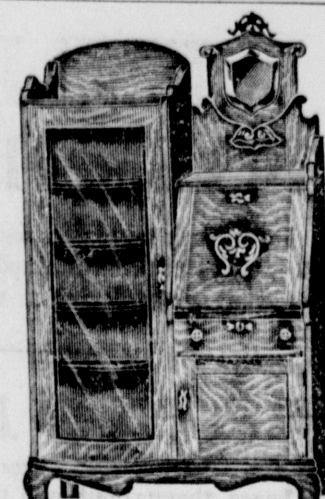
**Sideboard**

Worth \$16.00 sale price **\$10.13**  
Combination sideboard and china closet worth \$35.00, sale price... **\$25.37**  
One worth \$30.00 for... **\$22.57**



**Dressers**

Worth \$20.00, sale price... **\$15.27**  
" \$25.00, " " **\$18.83**  
" \$20.00, " " **\$14.87**  
" \$18.00, " " **\$13.37**  
" \$11.00, " " **\$7.97**  
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**Combination Desk and Book Case**

Worth \$30, sale price... **\$19.17**  
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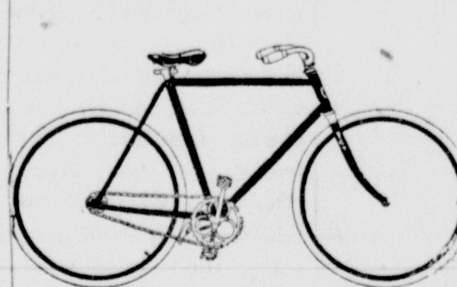
**Steel Ranges**

Worth \$55.00, sale price... **\$44.98**  
Worth \$53.00, sale price... **\$42.98**  
Worth \$40.00, sale price... **\$29.88**  
Worth \$35.00, sale price... **\$27.88**



**Square Cook Stove**

Worth \$25.00, sale price... **\$18.27**  
" 20.00, sale price... **\$15.13**  
" 17.00, sale price... **\$10.67**



**Bicycles**

Worth \$50.00, sale price... **\$33.33**  
" 40.00, sale price... **\$24.48**  
" 35.00, sale price... **\$19.85**



**Go-Carts**

Worth \$20.00, sale price **\$14.87**  
Worth 14.00, sale price **\$10.17**  
Worth 13.00, sale price **\$9.77**



**Chiffoniers**

Worth \$12.00, sale price **\$8.97**  
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Worth 6.50, sale price **\$4.67**

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Accused of Killing Her Baby.

St. Paul, May 6.—Mrs. Minnie Galles, who is accused of placing the body of a male infant on a doorstep at Seventh and Chestnut streets, where she had gone to have her bridal gown made, is under arrest at the central police station. She will be arraigned in police court, charged with the death of her baby, which occurred about two weeks ago.

### Thin Blood Makes a Weak Body.

But You Can Enrich the Blood and Send New Vigor Through the System by Using Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills.

Every nerve and every muscle of the body depends on the blood for nourishment. Thin, watery blood makes weak nerves and flabby muscles. The heart fails in its work of forcing blood through the body; the lungs, the stomach, the liver, kidneys and bowels all do their work in an imperfect way, and you drag about weak, tired and miserable.

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Gradually, certainly and naturally they instill new vigor into every nook and corner of the body, restore health and vitality, and put a new joy into life.

Note your increase in weight while using Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills; 50 cents a box, at all dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., N. Y.

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### STREET CAR MEN OUT

Motormen and Conductors at San Francisco Strike.

DEMAND AN EIGHT-HOUR DAY

Employees of the United Railroads Also Want a Flat Wage of Three Dollars. Telephone Girls and Iron Workers Also Are on Strike.

San Francisco, May 6.—The street car motormen and conductors have struck, tying up the street car system of this city. In lieu of the cars, all sorts of vehicles from automobiles to express wagons were used by the public.

The motormen and conductors of the United Railroads voted to declare a strike after having failed to obtain an eight-hour day and a flat wage of \$3. The strikers have been reinforced by the stationary firemen, who demand recognition of their union and an increase of wages from \$2.75 to \$3.25 per day. It is probable that other allied unions will come to the support of the platform men. There has been no disorder as no attempts were made by the railroad officials to take cars from the barns but it is expected that an effort to run cars will soon be made.

President Patrick Calhoun says that the United Railroads will operate its lines independently of the car men's union and if resisted will demand from the city and state authorities the full protection guaranteed by the law.

The decision of the car men to walk out was reached at a meeting attended by 1,500 men.

The officials of the United Railroads have been making elaborate preparations to run cars in the event of a strike and they claim to have several hundred experienced men ready to take the places of the strikers.

Federal Aid May Be Invoked.

In the event of the city and state being unable to provide protection in case of serious trouble, federal assistance may be invoked on the ground that the United Railroads Investment company of New Jersey, which is the holding corporation of the United Railroads, is a corporation foreign to this state. It is reported that Farley, the noted strike breaker, is in the city and that he will have charge of the strike breaking operations.

A committee from the Civic League endeavored to bring about a settlement of the industrial strife in this city by arbitration. They were met

on the instant with positive refusal from both sides.

The car men have organized an extensive picket detail at each car barn. The pickets are changed every four hours and according to President Cornelius have been instructed to permit no violence.

Large crowds surrounded the car barns at Turk and Fillmore streets all day, where 100 strike breakers are lodged. Beyond hooting and jeering them no overt act was attempted. Heavy shutters and iron screens are being placed at the windows of all the barns and car houses, indicative of a bitter and determined fight on the part of the company.

Preparations are being made to feed and house a large number of strike breakers.

Added to this tangle of the street cars is the strike of the telephone girls and that of 8,000 iron workers. Without transportation facilities and with a very much crippled and inadequate telephone service, business is now almost at a standstill.

More News From the New England States

If any one has any doubt as to the virtue of Foley's Kidney Cure, they need only to refer to Mr. Alvin H. Stimpson, of Williamantic, Conn., who, after almost losing hope of recovery, on account of the failure of so many remedies, finally tried Foley's Kidney Cure, which he says was "just the thing" for him, as four bottles cured him completely. He is now entirely well and free from all the suffering incident to acute kidney trouble. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfdw

TRAINS IN COLLISION.

More Than a Score of Persons Seriously Injured.

Toledo, O., May 6.—Two persons were fatally hurt and more than a score of others were seriously injured in a head-on collision on the Toledo Urban and Interurban a half mile out of Bowling Green. The collision was between a southbound limited and a northbound local. It is claimed the limited was ordered to stop at the Bowling Green car barns for the local to pass, but that it went on without obeying orders. Both cars were late and going at a high rate of speed.

Disturbed the Congregation

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by continually coughing is requested to buy a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfdw

CARNEGIE'S LATEST PLAN.

Would Bring Peace to Republics of Latin America.

New York, May 6.—The Tribune says Andrew Carnegie, the leading exponent of the peace propaganda in

this country, thinks he has solved the long standing problem of bringing permanent peace to the combative republics of Latin America.

For this mission of peace Mr. Carnegie has appointed Diego Mendoza former minister of Colombia at Washington. He will be accompanied by Professor W. S. Shephard of Columbia university. Senor Mendoza, it is said, will receive a salary of \$25,000 a year and his expenses. The latter was the only representative of South America at the recent peace congress in this city and he was not appointed to it by the government of Colombia, but attended in his capacity of congressman of that country. None of the other South American countries was represented.

Senor Mendoza and Professor Shephard will leave New York some time during the present week.

Cure the Father's Throat.

Chicago, Ill., May 6.—Michael Casey, twenty-two years old, out the throat of his father, John Casey, twenty-four years old, with a razor at the home of his mother, Mrs. Margaret Brennan, 489 North Claremont avenue, following a quarrel over a phone. The father died a half hour later. Casey had been drinking. The mother was arrested.

STRAIN TOO GREAT

Hundreds of Brainerd Readers Find Daily Toil a Burden

The hustle and worry of business men, The hard work and stooping of workmen,

The woman's household cares, Are too great a strain on the kidneys. Backache, headache, rheache, Kidney troubles, urinary troubles follow.

A Brainerd citizen tells you how to cure them all.

Mrs. Fred Stilling, wife of Fred Stilling, engineer on the M. & I. R. R., formerly living at 224 Ninth St. N., Brainerd, Minn., says: "Railroading with its jolting and jarring and being cramped up in an engine cab had the usual effect on my husband's back and kidneys. Most railroad men have experienced this trouble. I have heard him say at times he could not get out of his cab without his back hurting him so that it would be five or ten minutes before he could straighten up. Not long ago the trouble became so aggravated that he thought he would have to give up and go to the hospital for treatment. However he knew about Doan's Kidney Pills and procured a supply of them at H. P. Dunn & Co.'s drug store. Their use as directed cured the backache and restored the kidneys to a proper working order. After this gratifying result it is needless to say we hold Doan's Kidney Pills in high estimation."

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KILLED WHILE DANCING.

Teamster Shot Dead in a Resort Near Bovey, Minn.

Duluth, May 6.—A teamster named Samuel Ibsen, aged thirty years and single, was shot and instantly killed while dancing in a resort near the Holman mine, two miles from Bovey, Itasca county. A man named Toney Talerubus is accused of the shooting. It has not yet developed what the motive was. Talerubus escaped and the authorities of Itasca county are seeking him. It is believed that he fled toward Grand Rapids.

Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup is best for women and children. Its mild action and pleasant taste makes it preferable to violent purgatives, such as pills, tablets, etc. Get the booklet and a sample of Orino at H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfdw

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WANTED—Maid at N. P. Hospital. 282tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at 223 North 5th street. 283tf

FOR SALE—A good mare. Inquire at 402 2nd Ave., N. E. 2842p

FOR RENT—Barber shop at 109 Kindred street, East Brainerd 278tf

WANTED—Men for clearing and grubbing land. F. S. Parker. 280tf

LOST—A red cow, had a raw hide halter, notify this office for reward. 280tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping in the Pearce block 275tf

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 624 North Fourth street. 2834

FOR SALE—A good organ. J. F. Townsend, 213 Fourth avenue Northeast. 282tf

WANTED—Employment as clerk in store by competent married lady. Address DISPATCH office. 285tf

FOR SALE—Five acre tract in Holland addition. Inquire Mrs. M. A. Billings, 613 Seventh St. So. 283tf

FOR SALE—at a big bargain—A six room brick house with big barn and two lots, at 1003 6th street south. 28616p

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WANTED—Manager for New Branch of our business here in Brainerd. Write promptly, with references. The Morris Wholesale House, Cincinnati, Ohio. 1t

WANTED—Men to cut cordwood from pine tree tops, \$1.15 per cord, board if desired at \$3.75 per week. See John Larson at Thorpe's place, Hubert, Minn. 28016 dw